Early Journal Content on JSTOR, Free to Anyone in the World

This article is one of nearly 500,000 scholarly works digitized and made freely available to everyone in the world by JSTOR.

Known as the Early Journal Content, this set of works include research articles, news, letters, and other writings published in more than 200 of the oldest leading academic journals. The works date from the mid-seventeenth to the early twentieth centuries.

We encourage people to read and share the Early Journal Content openly and to tell others that this resource exists. People may post this content online or redistribute in any way for non-commercial purposes.

Read more about Early Journal Content at http://about.jstor.org/participate-jstor/individuals/early-journal-content.

JSTOR is a digital library of academic journals, books, and primary source objects. JSTOR helps people discover, use, and build upon a wide range of content through a powerful research and teaching platform, and preserves this content for future generations. JSTOR is part of ITHAKA, a not-for-profit organization that also includes Ithaka S+R and Portico. For more information about JSTOR, please contact support@jstor.org.

Officers and Councilors for 1917

President

JOHN GREENOUGH

Vice-Presidents

ANTON A. RAVEN
Term expires 1918

JAMES B. FORD
Term expires 1919

PAUL TUCKERMAN
Term expires 1920

Foreign Corresponding Secretary

PROFESSOR WILLIAM LIBBEY
Term expires 1918

Domestic Corresponding Secretary

ARCHIBALD D. RUSSELL
Term expires 1920

Recording Secretary

HAMILTON FISH KEAN
Term expires 1919

Treasurer

HENRY PARISH, JR.
Term expires 1918

Councilors

BANYER CLARKSON
EDWIN SWIFT BALCH
EDMUND L. BAYLIES
WALTER B. JAMES, M.D.
H. STUART HOTCHKISS
Terms expire 1918

REAR-ADM. FRENCH E. CHADWICK
FRANK BAILEY
LEVI HOLBROOK
CHARLES A. PEABODY
ARCHER M. HUNTINGTON
Terms expire 1919

CHARLES H. TWEED
MADISON GRANT
GRENVILLE KANE
ALLISON V. ARMOUR
ALEXANDER HAMILTON RICE, M.D.
Terms expire 1920

Editorial Staff

ISAIAH BOWMAN, Ph.D., Director
W. L. G. JOERG
LEON DOMINIAN
G. M. WRIGLEY

Contributing Editors

ALBERT PERRY BRIGHAM, A.M., Colgate University
WILLIAM M. DAVIS, Hon. D.Sc., Ph.D., Harvard University
WILLIAM CHURCHILL, F.R.A.I., The Carnegie Institution of Washington
EDWARD L. STEVENSON, Ph.D., Hispanic Society of America
ROBERT DeC. WARD, A.M., Harvard University
RICHARD E. DODGE, A.M., Teachers College, Columbia University
ELLSWORTH HUNTINGTON, Ph.D., Milton, Mass.
MARK JEFFERSON, A.M., State Normal College Ypsilanti, Mich.
DOUGLAS WILSON JOHNSON, Ph.D., Columbia University

Objects of the Society

The objects of the American Geographical Society are to collect and disseminate geographical information by discussion, lectures, and publications; to establish in the chief city of the United States a place where may be obtained accurate information on every part of the globe; and to encourage such exploring expeditions as seem likely to result in valuable discoveries in geography and the related sciences.

The American Geographical Society is the oldest geographical society in the United States. When it was founded, in 1852, there were but twelve similar societies in the world. Now it exchanges publications with more than four hundred scientific associations. The Society issues a monthly magazine of unusual interest called *The Geographical Review.* It has also a large and growing library—one of the most important geographical libraries of the world; thousands of maps and charts; and a remarkable collection of atlases of the sixteenth, seventeenth, and eighteenth centuries.

Travelers, men of science, and others properly accredited are welcome at the rooms of the Society and may freely use the book and map collections.

Two gold medals have been founded by the Society, the *Cullum Geographical Medal* and the *Charles P. Daly Medal,* which are awarded from time to time to explorers, writers, and men of science who have contributed to the advance of geographical knowledge.

In addition it awards the *David Livingstone Centenary Medal,* founded by the Hispanic Society of America.

The qualifications for Fellowship are an interest in exploration and travel, in the spread of geographical knowledge, and in the advancement of science.

A Fellow is entitled to the use of the Library, Reading and Map Rooms; to admission to all lectures and exhibitions; and to the Society's current publications, which include, besides the magazine, occasional books and maps.

The annual dues are ten dollars.

Form of Bequest

I do hereby give and bequeath to the American Geographical Society of New York.....